A Real Attorney General. Turtle, King, Fliers. How Women Teach Men. The Soul Weighs Zero. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

(Copyright, 1922.) Attorney General Daugherty, as aggressive and able a man as the public service has had for many years, has exploded one pretty little balloon in the coal strike. The operators said they didn't dare meet with their men to consult, because if they held a wage conference they might be prosecuted by the Federal Government.

The Attorney General tells them that so far as prosecuting goes, he is the Federal Government. And there won't be any prosecuting if they meet the men as they should do. They will have to get along without

Four important things in life, in the order of their importance, are air, water, food, coal, which last means power, heat, and light. None of the four should be at the mercy of any scheming gang, none of the four should be for one moment outside the control of Government, and the Attorney General knows it.

No matter where you go, there is danger. No wonder the ancients said nobody could escape his fate. The sad history of Oedipus, the king, proves it, and that of the Greek warned that he would be killed by a house falling on him. He slept out of doors always, to fool the oracle. One fine day an eagle, carrying a heavy turtle, dropped it on the man's head and he died. The turtle's shell was the "house."

Oedipus, poor thing, simply because the oracle had predicted it, killed his own father, married his own mother-and lived miserably ever afterward -although he tried his best to behave. "Es kann kein mensch sein Schicksal entgehen."

All that is apropos of two flying machines, running between Paris and London. They ran into each other up in the air, both came down in flames, six were killed. You are not surprised when automobiles collide in a narrow country road, but with the air road, 25,000 miles wide, to travel in, collision seems strange.

It reminds you of the wellwritten story of the sea turtle, asleep on the surface of the Pacific, run into and cut in two by a big steamship not room enough for both of them on the wide Pacific.

Miss Stone shot Mr. Ellis Guy Kinkead-no doubt about the shooting. The jury approved her private, personal reasons for the shooting and acquitted her, while the crowd shouted approval and she kissed her lawyer. That's undoubtedly as it should be. Since the beginning of time women have educated, disciplined and improved men by killing them when they needed it. They did it with a stone hatchet 12,000 years ago; with a little pistol recently.

Miss Stone, pleased with public approval, says, "I want to forget."

"There's the rub." as the Danish gentleman remarked. Shooting is easy, forgetting is hard. A human conscience is no emotional jury. It keeps telling you THE FACTS, with nobody in the courtroom to cheer, no lawyer to kiss, no reporters to take "flashlights."

This from a reader: "You say the real human creature is a soul, weighing nothing at all, not even the ten-thousandth part of a grain. How do you know that the soul doesn't weigh anything? Have you

ever seen one or weighed it?" No, but after you are dead your body will weigh just as much as it did when you were alive and your soul will not be there any longer. How much

does the soul weigh? Nothing. -Q. E. D.

New and unusually sad news comes from Ireland. Two hundred Dublin rebels against the Free State attacked the custom house and destroyed ten million dollars' worth of wines and whiskies belonging to Belfast farms. In years to come, to the day of the "Great Wind" will be added the day of the "Great Waste," when ten million dollars' worth of whiskey and wine was poured out.

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WASHINGTON, SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 8, 1922.

(Closing Wall Street Prices) THREE CENTS EVERYWHERE.

Operators Blast Hopes For Strike Parley

AN IN TEXAS-OKLAHOMA CYCL

Bureau Inquiry To Be Rushed

Department of Justice to As sist in Check-up Beginning Tomorrow.

Work of checking alleged dupliation of millions of dollars' worth of Liberty bonds in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, report of which was published exclusively in last Monday's Times, will be begun at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The investigation of the al leged irregularities and scandal in the bureau, which, it is stated, resulted in the dismissal of the twenty-nine executive heads, will be conducted by a joint committee of Treasury and Department of Justice operatives.

Despite the emphatic denial of Treasury officials that there were any wholesale duplication of Liberty bonds and other irregularities in the bureau, the investigation by the Department of Justice operatives was ordered last night and will be begun n the morning.

Bureau superintendents and division chiefs were ordered to notify all employes, except those selected in making the investigation, that they need not report for work until further notified.

Director Hill announced this mornng, in a statement to his division chiefs, that the only divisions that vould be included in the investigation would be those in which "pape in handled.

By paper, it is explained, the order refers to only the departments where bonds, bank notes, stamps and cer tificates are being printed, gummed. bound and perforated.

Divisions Involved.

These include the following di-Wetting, examining, plate printing, surface printing, numbering, binding, stamp gumming, stamp erforating, ink milling and "any other related divisions that may be found advisable."

Department of Justice operatives, it is pointed out, are not making the investigation from a standpoint of efficiency, but to uncover the depth of the scandal, which declared, is prevalent in the

Hundreds of millions of Federal notes, millions of stamps and bonds, together with receipts bonds and notes turned over to the Treasury Department, by the bureau, will be checked in an effort to determine if there is a shortage.

Expect to Find Shortage

Officials confidently expect the inentory of the stock and materials of the bureau will reveal a shortage, the size of which, however, is matter of speculation.

In Treasury circles it is generally dmitted there is a shortage of between \$600,000 to \$700,000, due to ond duplication, missing notes, etc., but the officials declare it might be more or "not so much."

Some idea of the magnitude of the vestigation will be gathered from the fact that there are alone \$1,500,000,000 in Federal reserve notes, of minations of fives, ten, and

These are put up in sealed bundles of \$4,000 cach, and each bundle must be broken open, checked and re-checked, and then audited. There are housands of these bundles of Federal reserve notes, now in the yaults of the bureau and each note will be

checked by six counters. No Bonds In Bureau.

None of the bonds, the total of which, printed during the war, agregates \$25,000,000,000 are now the bureau, all of these being turned over to the Treasury Department.

The method of turning these bonds over to the Treasury Department involves a double the bonds going first to the Divi then to the Registrar of the Treas-ury, each signing a receipt for each sion of Loans and Currency and (Continued on Page 2, Column 1) neunced teday.

LAST MINUTE NEWS

CHICAGO CAR FARES REDUCED.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Fares on Chicago surface car lines were reduced from 8 cents to 6 cents by the Illinois commerce commission today. The reduction will continue until January 1, 1923, as an experimental measure to determine if car lines can operate at a profit on that basis. No additional charge is to be made for transfers.

STORM BALKS BECK DEFENDERS.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., April 8.—Unable to fly against the wind, which reached almost-cyclonic intensity, the eight airplanes bearing the members of the military court inquiring into the death of Lieut. Col. Paul Ward Beck, shot to death by Judge Jean P. Day, in the latter's home, were forced to return to their landing field this morning. The party was immediately transferred to motor cars and an effort made to reach Oklahoma City by 2 o'clock, the hour of the inquest.

RAID ON LIQUOR STORES THWARTED.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Six men who attempted to break into a Government warehouse in Brooklyn today were arrested after a running pistol battle with police and detectives. There is estimated to be more than \$500,000 worth of liquor in the place. The actions of the alleged robbers, who arrived at the warehouse in a taxicab, aroused the suspicions of John Intall, the watchman, who gave the alarm.

Belief-Wife to Tell

Story.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 8 .--

Beck was shot and killed by Jean

preme court, and millionaire oil man,

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M. E. CAREY, STANDARD OIL

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., April 8.-

Mr. Carey had been in a critical

condition for more than a week. He came to Florida for his health in

M. C. Carey, his son, Helen Carey,

Congressman Peter M. Speer

GERMANY BACKS DOWN

the interallied reparations commis-sion. A new and greatly modified

door open for negotiations.

was to arrive today.

December

OF SPEED LAWS

Jurist Who Sentenced Dodge Judge Day Will Be Freed, Is Finds Pittsburgh Police Right on Job.

PITTSBURGH, April 8.-Judge Charles L. Bartlett, of Detroit, who Flying against a drizzling rainmobile manufacturer, to serve five planes, spread in battle formation. not in itself unlawful." troit for automobile speeding, to swept into Oklahoma City this day wound up in police station here morning. charged with violating the traffic forfeit and was released for a hear- determined to win their fight on ing Monday.

It was explained he had told his chauffeur to "step on her," to see if civilian courtroom, where the body the local traffic officers were on the of their slain commander, Lieut. job in enforcing traffic laws. They were, and the first one the Col. Paul Ward Beck, formerly of judge broke landed him in the police Washington, lay in inquest.

ROBBERS SEIZE \$75,000

IN FURS AND JEWELRY NEW YORK, April 8.-Three rob bers drove up to the store of S. and M. Sandberg, furriers, on Madison avenue last night, walked in and gagged and bound the four men present and then caried off \$65,000 worth of furs, \$8,500 worth of jewel-ry and \$1,500 in cash.

News of the hold up, carried on while hundreds of persons walked by the store, did not become public until today.

Drive for Girls' Home.

CUMBERLAND, Md., April 8 .-The Salvation Army is raising a his daughter and Thomas E. Bres-fund of \$5,000 to furnish the new nan, his nephew, were with him and Girls' Home and to when he died. late \$1,168 have been subscribed. The Shriners have volunteered to furnish the clinic at a cost of about

Carey, Oil Man, Dies.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 8 .-Martin E. Carey, vice president of the Standard Oil Company, died in a St. Augustine hospital this morning, ording to advices received here a

Leonard to Fight in London. LONDON, April 8.-Benny Leonard, American lightweight champion

mittee Owners Fear Anti-

Trust Law.

Coal operators, through P. H. Penna, of Indianapolis, generally regarded as their accredited spokesman, gave the death thrust this afternoon to Congressional hopes of arranging a peace meet-

Penna unhesitatingly declared "hopeless" all efforts looking to ringing the operators and miners together to negotiate a new wage scale through joint meetings. Owners Split Wide.

sufficient number of operators in the good work.
the central competitive field to meet Rube Marqu miners so that a basic wage scale for the industry could be

Penna indicated in his testimony that dissension is rampant among are out to win at least one of Penna's chief argument against

the joint meeting was that operators "sincerely fear" prosecu-tion for anti-trust law violation. In the face of this the House to-day adopted, 28 to 27, an amendment to the Department of Justice appropriation bill designed to guarantee Attorney General Daugherty's assurance that the Government would not prosecute either miners

Aids Farmers Also.

or operators participating in such a

The amendment provide specificalpriated for the departemnt "shall be spent in the prosecution of any organization or individual for entering into any combination or agreement having in view the increasing of Dodge, son of the millionaire auto- the low-hanging clouds, eight air- ing the conditions of labor or for any act done in furtherance thereof

The amendment also makes the same provision against prosecution of farmers or associations of farmers Their oil spattered pilots, up at who organize in an effort to mainlaws. Judge Bartlett posted a \$50 dawn, gave 'em the gun, grimly tain a reasonable price for their

a battle field new to them—the Request for U. S. Troops for New Mexico Strike Region Denied by Weeks pression, not so much because

By International News Service P. Day, former justice of the su- troops to maintain order in a Boston Braves. He pitches like a

coal strike zone in the present strike was turned down today by the Government. The request came from Gover-nor Merritt C. Mechem, of New

OFFICIAL, DIES IN FLORIDA Mexico. He asked Secretary of War Weeks for the detail of army troops for duty in the mine region Martin E. Carey, vice president of the Standard Oil Company, died in a hospital here early today. Oxygen orders and shooting have ochad been administered throughout curred.

After a conference between Weeks at the White House today. it was officially announced that side of a couple of sunny days, the troops would not be sent,

State Police Attack Miners. CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 8.-

Mayor Morris, of McMechen, in Pennsylvania, an attorney for the northern West Virginia, has ancompany, who was attempting to nounced his intention of expelling reach Mr. Carey before the end came. all State police from the town because of their alleged tactics toward miners, according to reports received at the governor's office here. The ON REPARATIONS STAND police are charged with having assaulted union miners without provo-BERLIN, April 8.-Germany tocation. Colonel Jackson Arnold, head day backed water on her rejection of the State police, is out of the city the new indemnity demands of and in his absence, Governor Morgan refused to comment upon the report note was sent to Paris, leaving the

Germans Off to Genoa.

BERLIN, April 8.—The German delegation to the Genca conference, headed by Chancellor Wirth, left for This note follows a communica-tion sent to the commission several weeks ago, rejecting the commis-Italy today. - Vistamental and the

Meet Boston Braves This Afternoon.

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER. The Griffs are back.

All shined up and r'arin' to go, Zeb Milan's merry men will go after the Boston Braves at Georgia avenue this afternoon in the ing of operators and striking first of two exhibition games to be played here with Fred Mitchell's National Leaguers.

Mogridge to Start.

George Mogridge, the cleverest southpaw in the American League, is scheduled to twirl today as far as He denied to Chairman Nolan of distance, he may do so, but the House Labor Committee investigations are that he will pull up gating the coal strike that there is after the fit to let either Joe even a possibility of inducing a Gleason or key Francis continue Marquard, the veteran

southside slinger, and either Joe Oeschger or Frank Miller will do the twirling for the Braves. This means trouble for the Griffs, who two games here and thus cinch the

Tomorrow comes the first Sunday game of the year at American League Park, and Manager Milan will offer as the attraction of the day young Brillheart, the Roanoke, Va., southpaw. This eighteen-yearboy is destined to be the American League's pitching sensation, if not this season, at least by 1923. For a boy not yet of age to attract the slightest attention in a major league camp is worthy of comment, but when that same lad steps right to the front, surpassing pitchers ly that no part of the money appro- favored with more years and greater experience, that lad is entitled to me headlines.

Brillheart will not be nineteen years old until next September. He belongs to Dublin, Va., and as soon recently sentenced John Duvall and sometimes a downpour-from wages, shortening of hours or better- as he has turned in his trick on the mound against the Braves he will hurry home to see the folks. He has been suffering from nostalgia not a little since going to Florida, and Manager Milan believes that a brief visit home will do him a world of good. He will be back for the opening of the season.

Pitches Like a Veteran.

This young southpaw is surpassed left handers on the Washington ball club. He has made a striking imspeed or sharp-breaking curves as by superb control and by his calm com-The first request for Federal mand of his job when facing the veteran.

Brillheart is the best looking re-cruit pitcher with the Griffmen this spring. Only Mogridge has done better work under fire, and that for a short three frames against the Braves one day at Tampa. Frank Woodward is the lone right hander to measure up to this young Virginian.

The athletes should be full of pep

today. They have loafed away the last three days. Lynchburg was inhospitable yesterday and, as President Harding and Secretary as it was found that the playing field was impossible for action in special cars containing the Griffs claiming; for four-year-olds and up; and Braves were attached to the noon train for Washington. athletes landed last night.

The Braves are entertaining friends at the Raleigh and the Griffs are at the Arlington. Many will remain at the Arlington all summer. Nine games have been played, with the Griffs winning five. If they win one of the two remaining, they

will take the series. must win both today and tomorrow Bad Weather Provides Rest. The team found fair weather in Charleston and Columbia on Mon-

about 1:30 p. m. at Greenville. An offort was made to start the game, but a heavy downpour drove the athletes from the field at game time.

The rain beat the teams in Greens-(Continued on Page 3, Column 7.)

Will Marry Hero Effort To Break



MISS VIRGINIA H. DUNCAN, Of Chicago, has announced her engagement to Carl Erickson, eratwhile of Boston. She states that while she just loves stories of adventure of the World War and that while his friends have told her of his wonderful feats as an engineer whith the American troops, he has refused to talk. She states that she expects ultimately to use her wifely authority to the end of securing

BOWIE ENTRIES.

(For Monday)

FIRST RACE-Purse, \$1,200; for maiden two-year-olds; four furlongs. Wrangle, 115; Armedee, 115; Billy Gibson, 115; Buddugie, 115; a-George Choos, 115; a-Carmen Pantage, 112; -Woodland, 112; b-Cresta, 112; Elizabeth Brice, 112.

a-Choos entry. b-H. P. Whiteney entry.

SECOND RACE-Purse. \$1,200 claiming; three-year-olds and up; six and one-half furlongs. The Nephew, 115; *Little Maudie, 105; *Ace of Aces, 112; *The Decision, 115; *Siesta 103; Alex Hamilton, 112; Welcome Stranger, 95; *Iron Boy, 110; Paul sent to the stricken town from Miles Connelly, 112: *Heliocross, 110: Rustler, 115; Keziah, 103; *Malvolid,

Also eligible-Right Angle, 108; Lucky Girl, 97; *Perigourdine, 105 Pretender, 112.

THIRD RACE - Purse, \$1,200 claiming; for four-year-olds and upward: six furlongs. Dantzic, 110 Ultra Gold, 112; Redmon, 116; *Frank Monroe, 111; King John, 117; Apple Jack II, 116; *Charlie Leydecker, 107 FOURTH RACE - The Fairfax Handicap; purse, \$1,500; for three year-olds and upward; seven fur longs. Ballot Mark, 113; Yashmal 108: a Dick Deadeye, 101; b-Jewell V D., 104; a-Fly Ball, 102; a-Miriam Cooper, 100; b-Plucky, 107. Smithson entry; a-three pounds

claimed for rider. FIFTH RACE-Purse, \$1,200; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile The Archer, 108; Gain De Cause, 104; St. Allan, 104; The Lamb, 104; Tom McTaggart, 104.

SIXTH RACE-Purse. claiming; for three-year-olds and up: one mile and seventy yards. *Ettache, 113; *Verity, 105; Fair Mac 112; Bribed Voter, 112; *Search Light, 3rd, 108; Clean Gone, 107; *Trickster, 2nd. 108; Master Jack, 110; *Zouave, 105; Queen Blonde, 107; Dr. Charles Wells, 112; *Sister Flo. 100

SEVENTH RACE-Purse, \$1,200 one and one-sixteenth miles. Hendrie, 108; Walk up, 99; *Amaze, 106 Sammy Jay. 99; Devil Dog, 104; *Kings Belle, 98; Smarty, 104; Turnabout, 99; Challenger, 104; 99; *Jacques, 99; Horeb, 104; Archive. 94: Chinnie Walsh, 103 Fizer, 104; *Alliro, 99. rentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast,

BOWIE SCRATCHES

FIRST RACE—Cresta. SECOND RACE—H. C. Basch. Courteous, The Decision, and Perday and Tuesday. It began raining

THIRD AND FOURTH-None. FIFTH—War Note. SIXTH—Grass Tree. SEVENTH—None.

LOSS TO

Wide Territory Visited by Twister-Death List Still Mounting.

Latest reports are that the death toll in the cyclone that has swept Texas and Oklahoma has reached

DALLAS, Tex., April 8.—Heavy winds of cyclonic velocity, and rainstorms swept north Texas and southern Oklahoma early today, causing the death of about twentyfive persons and immense property loss, according to meager reports received here.

Oklahoma Hard Hit.

Tornadoes were reported at Cisco, where Mrs. R. W. Turner was probably injured and one other woman is in a serious condition at Ardmore and Lawton, Okla., where it was reported fourteen persons lost their

Wichita Falls, Ranger and other north Texas towns reporting heavy three houses blown down. portion of the Catholic Church denolished at Ranger.

Ballinger, Tex., reported six people The Millings Sanitarium at Cisco

was completely wrecked, but no loss of life reported.

Baseball Park Suffers. The left field wall of the Marine baseball park in Dallas was blown down and part of the roof of the

grandstand ripped off. Brownwood reported a cyclone near Rowena, Runnels county, and fourteen persons killed, and much property damage.

Five Killed in Rowona.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, April 8 .-Five persons were killed at Rowona. wenty-seven miles east of here, in a tornado this morning. Nine houses were destroyed. Relief parties were and Ballinger. Heavy hall and rain totalling three inches accompanied the storm. All wires were down west of here. Streams are bankfull

By International News Service.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 8 .--At least ten persons are reported dead as a result of cyclones throughout the southwestern part of the State, according to reports filtering into the weather bureau here today.

All Lines Down. Efforts were being made to con firm the report that four or five persons had been killed near Law ton. Another report said one was killed.

All lines of wire communication were down. Another report said the storm had struck between Oklahoma ported injured.

Blows Over Train Shed. By International News Service.

DALLAS, Tex., April 8 .- Accordng to telegrams received at the Texas and Pacific railroad offices here, a cyclone struck Cisco, Tex., at 7:55 o'clock this morning, turning over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas freight depot and demolishing forty houses.

One woman was killed and another injured. The same storm is reported to have hit Ranger, blowing down som houses and a church.

Six Killed in Texas.

BALLINGER, Tex., April 8 .- Six persons were killed in a cyclone which struck northwest of Rowena, in this county, last night. The dead include two children of

Frank Kavatil, one child of Joe Kutchik, an unknown white man and two negroes. The school house and many dwellings were blown down. Wire communication with the strick en districts is down.

Flood Menaces Town.

Increased fears were felt today (Continued on Page 2, Column 3.)

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., April 8,--